

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(MBHB Case No. 05-949)**

In re Application of:	)	
Matejat et al.	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 1795
Serial No.: 10/559,396	)	
	)	Examiner: Phasge, Arun S.
Filed: April 03, 2006	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 5607
For: Method for Regenerating Etching Solutions	)	
Containing Iron for the Use in Etching or	)	
Pickling Copper or Copper Alloys and an	)	
Apparatus for Carrying Out Said Method	)	

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application:

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached
  - a. Response to Final Office Action mailed October 18, 2007;
  - c. Request for Continued Examination (RCE);
  - b. One month extension under 37 CFR 1.36(a);
2. With respect to fees:
  - (a) Please charge \$930.00 to Deposit Account 13-2490;
    - (i) \$120.00 one month extension fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a);
    - (ii) \$810.00 RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e);
  - (b) General Authorization: Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February, 15, 2008

By: /James T. Wasicak/  
James T. Wasicak  
Reg. No. 50,803

**McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff LLP**  
300 South Wacker Dr.  
Chicago, IL 60606  
Telephone: (312) 913-0001  
Facsimile: (312) 913-0002